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TALK OF THE TOWN

Save prices on wall paper. A. V. Beckley's.

Watch for Presbyterian rummage sale June 29.—adv.

Native strawberries from E. Ritchie's at the Barre Fruit company.

Miss Violet Furey, who has been spending some time in Springfield, Mass., has returned to Barre for the summer.

Miss Mary Rosini has returned from Northfield, where she has been passing a few days as the guest of Miss Amelia Broggi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. L. Carr of Liberty street have returned home from Burlington, where they visited the former's brother.

Mrs. Clementina Comoli of Foster street, who was called to Piqua, O., three weeks ago by the death of her son, Jasparr Comoli, has returned to the city.

Rev. G. F. Fortier, field secretary of state Universalist churches, returned to his home in St. Albans this morning, after a visit of a few days in Barre and vicinity.

Charles G. Scott and George N. Tilden went to Burlington this morning to attend the annual convention of chapter Masons. A number of local Masons who went to Burlington earlier in the week have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reynolds of Prospect avenue and Thomas Vennor of Warren street left the city yesterday afternoon for Vinal Haven, Me., where they have been called by the serious illness of Mr. Reynolds' mother.

The mission study class of the Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. Sherman Parker Thursday night at 7:30. Reports will be given of the annual meeting, held recently in Windsor. A good attendance is hoped for.

Arthur Rizzi, who has been visiting his parents, Alderman Stephen Rizzi and Mrs. Rizzi of North Main street, has returned to Chicago, Ill., where he is engaged as the representative of a local granite manufacturing concern.

Alden Burke arrived in the city this forenoon from Worcester, Mass., where he has been enrolled as a student at the Holy Cross college during the past year, to spend the summer months at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burke, of Summer street.

Efforts to obtain road oil having failed, the street department is preparing its schedule of streets to be sprinkled this season on the basis of an all-water program. It has been explained by the oil companies that the government is using most of the crude oil available.

Robert Beagrie of Keith avenue, who completed his duties at the Metropolitan Life Insurance office in the Currier building Saturday, after having been employed there for several months, left the city last evening for Lowell, Mass., where he has secured employment.

The Barre City band, an organization which grew out of the old Citizens' band, is rehearsing regularly, and if the present favorable circumstances continue to obtain, the debut of the musicians in a public concert will not be long postponed. The band was reorganized last week.

A spanking breeze, accompanied by a heavy rainfall and occasional flashes of lightning came with rising temperature at an early hour this morning, and while little damage resulted here in the city, the wind did its way with trees, and along certain streets this forenoon the walks and roads were strewn with fallen limbs.

Sergeant Fred DeClerico, who is attached to the quartermaster's corps for special duty at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., is spending a short leave of absence at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lena Lettini, of the Miles building. Sergeant DeClerico expects to leave to-morrow forenoon for Lynn, Mass., where he will spend a few days at his home, before returning to Camp Devens.

The following item from yesterday's Boston Globe will be of interest locally: "Harry Davis of Norwich, Vt., who was arrested several weeks ago charged with making false returns in his questionnaire, was given a hearing by United States Commissioner Hayes yesterday. Because the defendant has joined the merchant marine and is now a member of the crew of the training ship Meade, he was discharged. Coincident with the hearing, the announcement was made that Davis had married Helen Jordan, who stood by him so loyally during his trouble with the government and furnished his bail. The wedding is said to have taken place on May 22 at Barre, Vt., the home of Mrs. Davis."

So far as a casual inquiry at the ticket office of two railroads connecting Barre with the city, it is found that Barre would indicate the jump in passenger tariffs, which became effective on Monday, has not served to reduce materially the passenger receipts. It is true that commuting between Barre and Montpelier is a more costly venture than formerly, but in other instances the fares have been slightly reduced. One way ride to Williamsstown for fewer pennies than before the revision, and the fare to Burlington is slightly less. For some time passenger business has tended toward a decline, but the decrease in receipts is not appreciable thus far, although railroad men believe that automobiles will have a greater tendency than ever to reduce the volume of travel by train.

Depot square is soon to lose one of its landmarks, as A. G. Nye, having purchased the lunch car near the Union Clothing store, proposes to move it to a section of the city where it will no longer be frequented by uptown lunchers. The little structure, which formerly boasted wheels along with windows which depicted the three martyred presidents, has long stood in the square as a monument to the human weakness for hot dogs. Tamales have been its pious de resistance and offerings in the growing hours of morn, a belated arrival in town has sought refreshment at the cart when all other eating establishments in town had long since closed. Mr. Nye has secured permission from the council to move the cart to 560 North Main street.

At his home on Hill street last evening, Anne King was pleasantly surprised, when about 35 of his friends gathered to remind him of his eighteenth birthday. Upon returning to his home from a short visit to one of the neighbors, Mr. King found his home in the possession of his friends, and although taken by surprise, he proved to be an ideal host and furnished an enjoyable evening's entertainment for all present. A program of musical selections and an informal order of dances were enjoyed throughout the evening, the program being made up of piano solos by James Walker, vocal solos by Alex Rennie and Cecil Webster and several selections on a mandolin by Alex Paul. During the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. In behalf of the party James Walker presented Mr. King a purse of money, the host of the evening responding feelingly.

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See this line of Skirts while the assortment is at its best. We start the line at \$1.00 each and can give you values up to \$8.50. These are the Pre-Shrunk, in the season's best materials.

Cool Summer Waists

Have you seen our line of cool Summer Waists? This is a line of Waists that is of more than ordinary interest. You will surely be surprised at the Waist values we are able to give you.

See our line of Colored Waists in white grounds with colored collars and cuffs, and others with colored Stripes and Figures. These are real good quality Voiles in colors that are fast, and the prices are right.

We have just received another shipment of those popular Jap Silk Waists, in White, Colors and Black. These are a good quality and the price is only \$2.00 each. See these values.

We have a large assortment of a little heavier Corded Waists in Colored Pencil Stripes, that we are selling at only \$2.00 each.

See our line of Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists. These we carry in sizes from 36 to 52. See our line of Pongee Waists.

Prices for To-day

In our Basement is a good assortment of Skirting Stripes at 25c per yard. These will be 50c or more next season.

Silks for skirts and dresses will soon be advanced. These are selling at but little more than the old prices.

We are now paying 40c per dozen more for Spool Silk. This will give you an idea of the raise to come on Silks for dresses.

Lots of things look exorbitant in price. If you will look for good trades you will find them. Prices on Dry Goods when compared with cost of manufacture have been wonderfully well kept down.

Hosiery has not been advanced to equal cost of manufacture. Large stocks in the hands of retailers have kept prices down. In lots of instances retail prices have been less than whole-sale prices, the retailer being satisfied with a small profit in order to keep his business moving.

Anything that you buy now will be 20 per cent. less than after Sept. 1.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Big reduction on paints and varnishes at A. V. Beckley's.

Native strawberries from E. Ritchie's at the Barre Fruit company.

Regular meeting of Rutu chapter, No. 33, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, June 12, at 7:30.

Mrs. William Craig and children have come from Portland, Me., to join Mr. Craig here and the family is living on Hill street.

Children of Hedding M. E. Sunday school will please notice that they are wanted at the church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock for children's day rehearsal.

Mrs. Albert C. Freeman, who has been spending the past week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. N. D. Phelps, left this morning for her former home in Wallfield, and expects to return to Norwich, Conn., Monday.

The New England Telephone Co. is planning extensive improvements on the Merchant street line, which extends beyond the city limits and connects with lines leading into Barre Town, East Montpelier and Plainfield. Old and partially decayed poles are to be replaced by new ones, and inasmuch as a cable is to supplant various strands of telephone wire, there will be fewer cross-arms on the new poles. In accordance with city ordinance provisions, the city will be allowed to string its police telegraph and fire alarm wires on a cross-arm reserved for that purpose.

Guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning included the following people: Mr. and Mrs. Juan Robinson, Arthur Allen, Mrs. Adams of South Hero and Mrs. M. E. Warren of Plattsburg, N. Y., E. R. Fletcher of Woodbury, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Carroll of Vergennes, J. F. Leary of Windsor, D. A. Trayhan of Littleton, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Foster, E. B. Metcalf of Burlington, Dr. J. A. Drouin, A. E. Drouin and Felix Desrochers of St. Johnsbury, Charles D. Henley and Arthur Rist of Greenfield, Mass., Louis W. Cole of Rutland, E. W. Chamberlain of Burlington, J. H. McGowan of Fairfield, Mary J. Simpson of Craftsbury, S. B. Bates of Derby, A. D. Beebe of Orleans, T. C. Condon of Pittsford, Farrar Malhot and mother of New York, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Deavens of Somerville, Mass., W. C. Deavens of Everett, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. George, C. M. Fisher of Morrisville, L. M. Parmelee of Providence, R. I.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See A. V. Beckley's adv. on page 5.—ad Scoddard B. Bates of Derby, state highway commissioner, was registered at Hotel Barre yesterday and to-day while conferring with road commissioners in Washington county.

Auction sale at the Dwinell farm, two and one-half miles from Marshfield, on Thursday, June 13; 58 head of Holstein stock, lot of hard wood, quantity of phosphate, some hay and straw. Everything is to be sold. See adv. on page 7. D. A. Perry, auctioneer.

The ladies and pastor's union of the Hedding Methodist church will meet with Mrs. B. W. Hooker Thursday afternoon for the regular meeting and to sew on aprons. It is hoped there will be a large number present, as there is special business to come before the meeting.

A number of Mormon elders engaged in missionary work here and in surrounding towns were interviewed at police headquarters this morning as to the time and place of their registration for selective service. It is said that a story which credited the elders with claiming exemption by reason of ministerial occupation prompted the authorities to question them. It was learned that the elders who did not carry their registration cards on their persons had them among personal effects in their lodging places.

Alex C. Walker of Grant avenue and W. A. McLeod of the Montpelier road returned this morning from New York, where they remained near the former's brother, George C. Walker, while he submitted to an operation for the removal of his left eye. The accident which necessitated the operation occurred in an establishment where the young man was employed as an electrician. He was removing a strand of wire binding from a package of supplies and it was when a piece of wire, severed by the nipper, struck him in the eye that he was temporarily blinded. Mr. Walker was removed to the New York Eye and Ear hospital, where it was found that a fragment of wire had penetrated the iris of the eye. For a time it was thought that he would recover the use of the member, but later the operation was deemed necessary in order to avoid sympathetic affection in the right eye. After his graduation from Spaulding high school and until he went to New York a year ago, Mr. Walker was employed by the Barre Electric company.

SLEPT ON FEATHER BED.

Ralph A. Lawless Writes About Unusual Experience in France.

Letters from France dated May 6, 12 and 15 have been received by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lawless of 9 Kirk street from their son, Ralph A. Lawless, who is with the American expeditionary forces. Interesting extracts are given as follows: "Taps is just sounding, but as I am in my room I am O. K. No doubt you will wonder what I mean by room. Well, the sergeant major and I are occupying one while we are in the rear camp. Although this camp isn't very far behind the lines. We just came out last week, after doing about five weeks in the trenches. I might as well say we have been in for three months, and here I am, as sound as the day I left the good old U. S. A. We certainly are enjoying ourselves these days. If you could step into the room you would say I was taking things rather easy. It only costs us a franc a day, or 20 cents in U. S. money. We have two tables, four chairs and an old fashioned fireplace, a nice feather bed. It certainly feels good to get between sheets. These French beds beat all I ever saw. Why, when you get into them you sink down two feet. Can you imagine it? Different from the places I have been sleeping in, barns, dugouts, etc., where hundreds of other fellows have been before me. Just a minute before I go any farther. I feel something crawling inside my shirt. I wonder what it is! Alright now, I found it. My, they are hard to get rid of. I was certainly lucky when I got into battalion headquarters as a clerk.

"This is mothers' day, and everyone in the service has been asked to write a few lines home. There is a rumor around now that we are going back again. Every time they mention trenches it makes everybody shudder. It puts a queer feeling into a fellow. It is worse than going through h—, and I am speaking the truth, believe me. It isn't so bad over here, as we are always on the move, new country and scenes all the time. Where we are is a beautiful little French town, nicely located in a valley and talk about your sweet scenes! France can't be beat.

"What a beautiful day it is out here, but not very quiet, as our guns are real active. Here we are again, back in the trenches after being out about a week and a half. We are getting real used to it now, as life in the trenches is more like home the more we stay in them. Your letters received last night. Ask Dad how he would like a German helmet for a quart cup. I ran across a bunch of the Vermont boys in the ammunition train, most of them out of H company, and it was our first meeting since last August.

"I was just going to picture to you the scenery that I can see from the window that I am sitting in. It is upstairs in a back room. One can look all around here, clear over into the German lines. There are a few shattered buildings, some of them partly down, but the fruit trees around here are all in bloom and the leaves are all out and green. In the distance is a mountain which the Huns are holding, and if we could only get that it would make a wonderful observation place for us. If the Americans think there is anything they want, somebody has just got to say the word and they go after it. Every few minutes I can hear one of our big shells going over to greet the Huns and what a nice buzz it does make through the air—as much as to say, 'I am going to get you!'"

GRANITEVILLE

Quarryworkers Take Notice!

Meeting of branch No. 12, Q. W. I. U. of N. A., will be held in Miles' hall, Wednesday evening, June 12, at 7:30 p. m. Nomination of I. V. secretary-treasurer, nomination of branch officers and delegate to state convention and other important business. Every member requested to be present. P. J. Finnigan, secretary.

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Servus Tomato Soup, per can	10c
"Monadnock" Pork and Beans, per can	13c, 2 cans for 25c (Small size.)
Dromedary Dates, per package	18c
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